

GENERAL NEMTI INFORMATION

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Welcome Aboard NEMTI! The following information is provided as general information about our compound. Much of this information is geared toward the training of the Expeditionary Medical Facility (EMF), but other training programs (TCCC, Fleet Hospital) can use as appropriate.

Berthing:

All personnel will be assigned to a specific South East Asia Hut (SEAHUT - 20 person, open bay, non climate controlled, wooden structure) upon arrival to NEMTI. Personnel will be assigned according to gender and rank. A sleeping bag, sleeping mat, cot (rack) and foot locker will be provided to each student.

Computer/Internet Access:

Personal computers will be provided for student use to access authorized government websites to facilitate on-line pre-deployment training requirements. Due to official firewall barriers, access to personal e-mail is prohibited.

Laundry:

A field laundry unit will be operated by properly trained NEMTI staff or student Ship's Servicemen. This will be the only laundry service available for use during the training period. Please note that the laundry facilities are for industrial size loads that accommodate several individual laundry bags. Laundry Bags are available for purchase from NEMTI's Ships Store for a nominal fee. Laundry detergent is provided. Students are advised to pack a two week supply of undergarments (underwear, T-shirts, socks, etc.). If necessary and if time allows, transportation accommodations will be made to allow students to use a local on base laundry facility prior to departure into theater for smaller amounts of clothing.

Liberty Policy:

Off-base liberty may be granted while conducting pre-deployment training at NEMTI by training unit leadership. Liberty is not guaranteed, and is subject to change at anytime. Generally, all training and Morale, Welfare and Recreation activities will be conducted aboard Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton.

Mail:

Mail service will be available on an outgoing basis only. There will be no incoming mail service.

Messing:

Field messing will be available for groups larger than 50 personnel. Messing for groups with less than 50 personnel will be supported by an area Marine Corps chow hall. All personnel will be required to pay for meals with cash only at NEMTI unless they are on Rations In Kind (RIK). Any personnel on a meal pass at their parent command are required to bring those meal passes with them for validation. All officers and enlisted personnel on commuted rations (COMRATS) will be required to pay for each meal with cash. Generally, a bulk meal rate collection is conducted at the beginning of the training which pays for all meals (aprx. \$70.00/week- cash only). On occasion, it may be necessary for a Meal Ready to Eat (MRE) to substitute for a scheduled chow hall meal. The following are the standard daily meal prices effective for the 2008 Fiscal Year: Breakfast \$1.85, Lunch \$3.85, Dinner \$3.85.

Money:

It is recommended that all students bring a minimum of \$150 in small denomination bills to NEMTI. This is in addition to what is required at the Navy Mobilization Processing Site (NMPS). The NEMTI cashier (Chow Hall/Student Store) cannot accept bills larger than \$20.00 or personal checks. There are no ATM machines available at NEMTI.

Phones:

Public pay phones are not available at NEMTI. Personal cell phones may not function in the remote area of the Base NEMTI is located on. NEMTI land lines are available for emergency use only. Please ensure your family and friends know that phone communication with you while at NEMTI will be for emergencies only unless over your personal cell phone.

Smoking Policy:

Smoking and the use of smokeless tobacco is authorized in designated areas only. There is no smoking or use of smokeless tobacco in any building, tent or SEAHUT at this command.

Student Store:

A NEMTI student (Ship's) store is available and will be opened intermittently throughout the training day. Items are limited to basic toiletries and snacks. All sales are cash only.

Transportation (EMF):

Following your pre-deployment processing at either the San Diego or Port Hueneme NMPS site, transportation will be provided to NEMTI. Following

completion of training at NEMTI, transportation will be provided to the area of embarkation (designated airport).

Driving, Parking and Government vehicles:

Parking for POV's is limited; student parking area is located on the hill on the backside of the warehouse. Government vehicles at NEMTI are For Official Use Only and not available for personal needs.

Uniform (EMF):

Generally, all mission prescribed uniform items will be fit and ordered at the NMPS prior to student arrival at NEMTI. NEMTI does not currently stock any uniform items for sale or distribution. The prescribed uniform of the day will be required for all students completing pre-deployment training. It is a Navy Regulation that the camouflage utility uniform is NOT authorized for wear as a liberty uniform except in the case of emergencies. Therefore, cammies are not authorized for wear off base. Be advised that NEMTI is a remote training site. There is no exchange, commissary or uniform shop in the vicinity of the training compound.

Visitors:

Visitors are not allowed on site unless authorized by NEMTI staff or student leadership.

The following training items/gear will be issued to you upon arrival to NEMTI (EMF):

- Canteen & Canteen Cup
- Sleeping Bag
- Sleeping Mat
- Sleeping Cot/Rack
- Foot Locker
- Gas Mask (Training item)
- MOPP (Chem/Bio) Gear (Training Item)
- Web belt

You will also be issued gear that will accompany you into theater.

Suggested Items to Bring:

The following is a partial list of the most popular items suggested to bring to NEMTI. Please remember that although you will have a foot locker for storage

that will accept a padlock, you are ultimately responsible for any valuable items you bring with you. Pack lightly as you will be issued multiple uniform items (EMF) and 782 gear to also carry with you as you travel. The exchanges in theater are well stocked with a variety of items at CONUS prices.

- Baby Wipes
- Disposable cameras
- Flashlight and extra batteries
- Hand Lotion
- Indelible (laundry) marker
- Insect repellent
- Large mesh laundry bag and closure
- Lip Ointment
- Padlock
- Personal care Items (toothbrush, soap, etc.)
- Playing cards, radios, board games, etc. are acceptable
- PT gear
- Razor
- Sanitary Napkins
- Shoe care items
- Shower Shoes
- Small rug/mat for area next to cot
- Spiral notebook and pen
- Sunglasses/Sunscreen
- Sweat suit or similar comfortable clothing
- Towels and washcloths
- Camelback water storage system bags are authorized for use at NEMTI but they must be worn in conjunction with the standard-issue web belts.

Prohibited items include:

- Alcohol, Drugs (Any illegal Items)
- Field Stoves/Bunsen Burners
- Jewelry/Items of High Value (heirlooms/antiques)
- Weapons
- Do not bring contact lenses

Weather:

The weather in Southern California is extremely variable with temperature variations of 30 - 50 degrees in one day being fairly common. During the summer, daytime temperatures range from 50F at night to 100F during the day. Winter temperatures range from 25F degrees at night to 75F degrees during the

day. You will not be issued cold weather gear while at NEMTI. If cold weather is expected, pack accordingly with multiple layers that may be removed as the day warms. The rainy season is generally between December and April. If you attend training during the February to May time frame, plan accordingly for probable rain. Ensure your gear is packed for rain and wet conditions.

PHONE NUMBERS FOR EMERGENCIES

Admin Officer (during working hours): (760) 725-7121 x 221 (DSN 365)

OOD (after working hours): (760) 725-7121 x 279 (DSN 365)

TOLL FREE NUMBER: 1-866-873-1841 X 279

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GENERAL STUDENT RULES

1. Due to normal detachment operations, the “Red Roof Bldg 630244”, Administration Building or any NEMTI staff area is off limits to students except when authorized or accompanied by a NEMTI staff member.

2. Proper uniform attire - The camouflage utility uniform is the uniform of the day. Embroidered name tapes and embroidered insignia are required. The web belt with canteen, gas mask and MOPP gear is considered part of the uniform and will be worn at all times unless otherwise designated. **No civilian or PT gear will be worn to chow.** Mixing of uniforms & civilian attire is unacceptable.

3. This is an Equal Opportunity Detachment. Inappropriate conduct will not be tolerated at any level. This includes sexual harassment and fraternization.

4. **Alcohol, weapons or illegal items are not permitted** aboard NEMTI at any time.

5. Personnel will not leave the designated training site (except for PT) unless authorized by a NEMTI staff member or student leadership.

6. Safety procedures/rules will be practiced and adhered to at all time.
ANYONE MAY CALL A TRAINING TIME OUT AT ANY TIME.

7. Students will not operate any equipment unless authorized by the NEMTI instructor staff. All students operating heavy machinery or spotting the movement of heavy machinery are required to wear hardhats and ear protection.

8. Walking on drainage slopes or berms is prohibited.

9. Report all accidents, injuries, and fires immediately to any NEMTI staff members or designated student OOD/JOOD. A NEMTI OOD will be onboard 24 hours and may be contacted at (760) 725-7121, ext. 279.

10. Taps/Lights out is generally at 2200 at which time the NEMTI main building and associated classrooms (Flag room) will be secured.

11. Radios will be secured between 2200 - 0600. "Walkman" headsets are not allowed outside the berthing areas or while jogging off compound. This is for safety reasons as we have heavy equipment operating on the compound. It is a

MCB Camp Pendleton regulation that “Walkman” headsets not be worn while jogging or running on the base.

12. Saluting is not required on the NEMTI training compound. Saluting is expected when off the training compound or any other areas on or off the base.

13. Shower shoes or sandals are not permitted outside of the berthing areas and head/shower facilities due to multiple foot hazards.

14. Running is generally the PT exercise of choice. Reflective belt is mandatory when running or jogging between sundown and sunrise. Contact sports are prohibited on the NEMTI training compound. Additionally, running on the North site or in the berthing areas is prohibited as there are many lines, metal stakes and other tripping hazards. The wearing of boots/shoes is mandatory at all times.

15. There are rattlesnakes, black widow, brown recluse spiders, tarantulas and scorpions on the training site. To prevent injuries, remember to:

- Shake out your boots/shoes before wearing
- Shake out your sleeping bags
- Shake out your clothes
- Shake out your headgear/hearing protection
- Not open food containers in berthing areas to prevent attracting these animals